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Applicant: Masaki Kitahara, et al.
Group Art Unit: 2482
Examiner: Hee-Yong Kim
Title: VIDEO ENCODING METHOD AND APPARATUS,
VIDEO DECODING METHOD AND APPARATUS,
PROGRAMS THEREFOR, AND STORAGE MEDIA FOR
STORING THE PROGRAMS
Attorney Docket: 5259-000070/US/NP

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

In further response to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2010 and in response to the Advisory Action mailed January 20, 2011, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.